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Attorney Docket No. MOSS-1

Applicants : Robert Allen Moss et al.  
Application No. : 09/627,146 Confirmation No.: 1215  
Filed : July 27, 2000  
For : BALL HITTING PRACTICE APPARATUS  
Group Art Unit : 3711  
Examiner : Michael Chambers

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

New York, New York  
February 14, 2002

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Preliminary Amendment;  
☒ a Reply to Office Action (enclosed a video tape, Form PTO-1449, and drawing (sheet 10)); ☐ a Supplemental Amendment;  
☐ a Declaration; ☐ formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- ☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.  
☐ A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE DUE
TOTAL CLAIMS	51 -	63*	= 0	x \$ 9	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 -	3**	= 0	x \$42	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$140	= \$ .00

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the fee for additional claims is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- ☐ Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the fee for additional claims. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

- ☐ The following extension fee is applicable to the Response filed herewith: ☐ \$55.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$200.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$460.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$720.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$980.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
- ☐ A check in the amount of ☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$200.00 ☐ \$460.00 ☐ \$720.00 ☐ \$980.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
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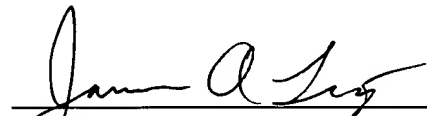
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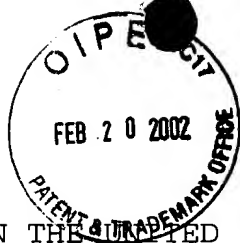
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the November 29, 2001 Office Action,  
applicants hereby amend the above-identified patent application  
as follows:

In The Drawings

Please replace sheet 10 (showing FIGS. 8 and 9) of the  
present set of formal drawings with the enclosed sheet 10  
(showing FIGS. 8, 8a, and 9). The additional figure (i.e., FIG.  
8a) does not add any new matter and is fully supported and  
justified by the specification.

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